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SUBJECT: TRIPOLI AND BENGHAZI PORT CONGESTION

- 1. NORTH ATLANTIC MEDITERRANEAN FREIGHT CONFERENCE HAS FILED WITH FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION (FMC) A PORT CONGESTION SURCHARGE OF 41 PER CENT FOR TRIPOLI AND 29 PER CENT FOR BENGHAZI, APPLICABLE ON ALL RATES AND CHARGES, EFFECTIVE FEB. 1, 1975. A 23 PER CENT CONGESTION SURCHARGE IS CURRENTLY APPLICABLE TO THESE PORTS.
- 2. FMC REQUESTS CURRENT REPORT ON BENGHAZI AND TRIPOLI PORT CONDITIONS IN ORDER DETERMINE WHETHER SURCHARGE JUSTIFIED. ADDITIONALLY, FMC INTERESTED KNOWING IF CARRIERS OPERATING BETWEEN LIBYA AND NON-US PORTS HAVE ESTABLISHED A COMPARABLE CONGESTION SURCHARGE. KISSINGER

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